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James N. Long Leads All Others Follow 'Jim'

Here They Are, Look 'Em Over; Pick the Winners.

"They're off!"

Six of 'em, as follows:

James N. Long, E. J. Garrard, H. O. Watson, Chas. G. Yonce, R. H. Curry and O. R. Ludewig.

The above candidates have qualified for the final contest, May 14, when three councilmen are to be chosen.

If the figures remain undisturbed it will be "easy" for Long and Garrard, and a battle royal for third place.

But one never can tell what will happen in Richmond. Our greatest "political experts" sometimes fail to forecast election results, and a candidate may be aeroplaning today and submarining tomorrow.

However, it is a "safe bet" that Jim Long is destined to serve time on the city council for six more years. The people want him.

It was hardly perceptible that there was an election Monday.

The vote was about 40 per cent, not one-half the usual primary vote. There will no doubt be a spirited contest in the general election.

Following is the result of Monday's election:

Long	1371
Garrard	978
Watson	782
Yonce	780
Curry	684
Ludewig	628
Penry	528
Transue	464
Alexander	349
Lilly	300
Grow	286
Weise	263

A bonus of ten per cent will be paid by the Santa Fe to all its employees July 1. The company will repeat the same Dec. 31.

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Fishermen Whip Nearby Streams

A number of Richmond fishermen caught the limit Monday. Joe Lowmyer, although a very "sick" man previous to arriving at San Pablo creek, became convalescent for one-half hour and whipped the creek for the limit. Joe says that 50 thrills with a trout at the end of each thrill, is a panacea for all the ills human flesh is heir to.

North Richmond Is Rapidly Improving

Morsman & Keller are improving their property in North Richmond, and as often stated in The Terminal they have solved the domestic water problem. Good water on every piece of property, with nearly wells for an adequate supply, at the reasonable sum of \$1.00 per month, has made many permanent residents for this section. Add to this the street improvements out that way and the close proximity to the Sixth street car line, and you can't beat it.

Boys Leave For Web- Foot City of Portland

Arthur Zimmerman and Ray Busnell, "art preservative artists of all arts," and then some, are on their annual vacation, having chartered the Great Northern for a ride to Portland on the big briny Pacific Ocean. Ray and Arthur have many friends here who wish them bon voyage, and hope that they will not join the army and never come back, for we need them here to set type and feed press.

Train-Load of Silk Leaves Richmond

A trainload of six steel cars loaded with silk from the Orient left Richmond for New York over the Santa Fe Sunday night. The shipment contained 1014 tons of raw silk valued at \$1,200,000. Special guards accompanied the train.

The Santa Fe is now in its new building at Second and Market.

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CITY BRIEFS

City election May 14.

Everett Lambrecht, coal dealer, has enlisted with Uncle Sam.

Knights of Pythias are planning a big dance, their annual.

It is reported at the county line that the incorporation plan of El Cerrito (Rust) will carry 4 to 1.

A grocerteria it is said will be inaugurated by Pulse Bros. Los Angeles and southern California cities have many of them.

The Pacific Telephone Co. has leased its Third street quarters for another five years. The Tilden Lumber Co. own the property.

Secretary J. A. Long of the chamber of commerce is gathering data for the Richmond municipal baths. He is in Lodi today taking observations.

If some of the non-producers (and others) who are so strong on war talk would apply the same energy and hot air to the hoe and the rake, there would be a large production of food products pronto. But—they won't do it.

The home guard movement is progressing, and meetings are being held and names added to the large list of those who are interested in forming a drill company. Levi Boswell and several old veterans of the civil war are working industriously for the organization of a home guard.

Miller & Holloway at 128 Macdonald are manufacturing a washing powder that does the work. These gentlemen are making friends in Richmond, because they conduct their business on the principle of giving value received. Their goods have become popular on their merits.

Italian Ladies Dance Coming Big Event

(Richmond Terminal)
The Italian ladies are preparing for their grand ball to be given the 26th in the Cornell Auditorium.

The Italians excel in dance music, and there will be few "wall flowers," for when Capelli's band starts up with its entrancing music, everybody will scramble for the floor and indulge in the terpsichorean pastime, so popular with the people.

It goes without saying that the Italian ladies' dance will be the big affair, and the box office receipts will prove this prophecy.

Maccabees Use Printers Ink and Are Securing Good Results

(Albany Argus)

The Maccabees will have a big crowd at their dance May 19, at the big auditorium. Maccabees are coming from all points of the compass to this dance, and the Argus boosting and printing is doing the business. Just take a slant at those two-color tickets Tom Ryan, the live wire "bee," printed for the dance. Ask Joe Waxel about this. Joe knows.

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AT THE RICHMOND TERMINAL

Political Announcements

Vote For a Winner
Harry O. Watson
Candidate For

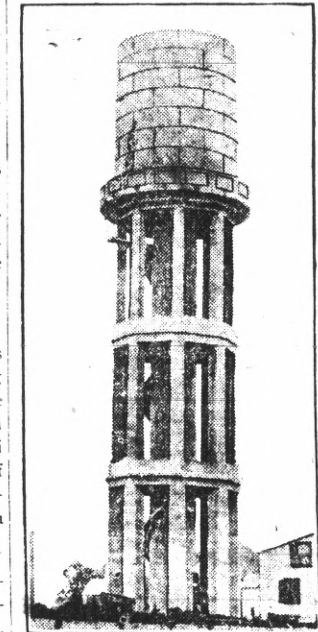
CITY
COUNCILMAN
Richmond, California

Election Monday
May 14, 1917

An Ornamental Tank That Adds Beauty to Surroundings

In connection with its municipal waterworks the borough of Bordentown, N. J., has installed an effective and interesting water tower of rather unusual type, as shown in the accompanying illustration, writes L. R. W. Allison in the American City. This tower is constructed on a circular concrete column base about 100 feet high, divided into three sections, each approximately thirty-three feet high. The columns are spaced equally around the periphery of a thirty foot diameter area and located at the points of the octagon thus formed.

The tank proper is about thirty feet in diameter and forty feet high, giving a total height of 140 feet from the



NEW TYPE OF TANK TOWER

ground to the top. With a capacity of 280,000 gallons, it augments the water system by an additional pressure of fifteen pounds, effecting a total pressure of from sixty-five to seventy pounds throughout the municipality at all times. While originally installed for emergency purposes, the tank is now in constant service.

The source of the water system is at Asa springs, about three miles distant, affording a water supply of particularly fine quality, which, being entirely free from sediment, eliminates the necessity for a filtration system. The water is pumped through ten inch mains to a collecting storage reservoir with a capacity of 200,000 gallons. The pumping station equipment consists of a 1,000,000 gallon pumping engine and a unit of similar capacity for emergency service.

To serve the local population of about 5,000 people an aggregate water supply of about 525,000 gallons daily is available, including the water tower and reservoir noted above, with addition of about 45,000 gallons in the city mains. The system comprises about ten miles of local distributing mains and, exclusive of concrete tank tower, represents an initial investment of \$115,000.

Boy Fly Fighter.

Harold Berg, seventeen years old, is responsible for the idea which has resulted in the greatest campaign against the fly and unsanitary conditions that Bay City, Mich., has ever seen. Through the efforts of this boy there was organized a small army of juvenile fly fighters, this band being a semimilitary organization. These boys were given definite territory to look after and with the co-operation of the board of health have made real progress toward eliminating the unsanitary spots and the fly breeding places in Bay City. Young Berg went to Bay City from Detroit, where he is chief inspector of the Junior Sanitary league.

For City Planning.
After several years of agitation in behalf of a city planning commission, the Peoria (Ill.) Association of Commerce has achieved a decided forward step. The city planning committee of the association has aroused the interest of the city fathers, and Mayor Woodruff, on behalf of the city council, now invites conferences for the discussion of the commission, the city plan and the preliminary work in the big undertaking.

Albany Activities

The farewell dance given by the people in the old Main street auditorium was well attended and all spent an enjoyable evening. This was the final public entertainment. The hall will soon be converted into class rooms for the school.

F. M. Scheik has entered his prize Spaniel in the Golden Gate bench show, which closes today.

Miss Evelyn N. Haas of San Francisco, cousin of School Trustee F. M. Scheik, will make Albany her home.

Advantages of Electrical Power in Railroading Is Now Recognized As Economical and Efficient

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad has demonstrated how uneconomic a steam locomotive is. By the electrification of its line over a part of the Rocky Mountain system the advantages of electrical power are made plain. It is predicted that all the western railroads will follow by electrifying their grades, and it would seem that in time the whole American system of railroads will see the change. Cheapness of coal has prevented it heretofore.

The electric locomotives will haul over a mountain grade 30 per cent more to a trainload at a cost of about 40 per cent less than a steam locomotive will do the work. The speed is 16 miles an hour instead of the nine miles performed by the steam locomotive. Thus the capacity of a single train is doubled.

Trains are able to keep closer to schedule. The cold weather prevents a steam locomotive from securing its steam capacity. Electric locomotives plow through snowdrifts which would stop a steam engine.

In the mountains the electric power is obtained from water power. In other territories central stations for the generation of electricity would be necessary. But it is cheaper and more effective to draw coal to one central power plant than it is to have a steam power plant attached to each train, which is the present method throughout the country.

The cost of electrification stands in the way of a change from steam to electricity, but that this is coming appears quite certain.—Utica Observer.

It might be added that one of the greatest obstacles to electrical development is the lack of legislation conducive to the investment of capital in such enterprises.

So-called policies of conservation have these great natural resources of the west tied up in such a way that development is crippled.

One of these big problems now before congress is the passage of equitable legislation which will permit and encourage waterpower development.



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The dates of sale for these excursions are:
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Weekly Summary of World's News

Condensed California News

Merced—The Redpath-Horner Chautauque system opened a week's Chautauque assembly here Tuesday.

Marysville—T. J. Henderson, pioneer miner of this section, reported here that he has made a rich strike of gold in the old "Easy Money" mine near Challenge, Yuba county.

Hanford—Three recruits have been obtained in this county for the United States aviation corps. They are Victor Hawley and Ted O. Rector of this city and Wayne D. Odale of Lemoore.

Taft—Tex Cunningham, who shot and killed E. W. Eberle, in Taft, two weeks ago, is to be given his arraignment and examination May 5 at 10 o'clock before Justice of the Peace George M. Cook.

Sanger—Z. Hornbeck, one of the older residents of Sanger, passed away Wednesday morning, April 25, after an illness which lasted only a few days. He had been partially paralyzed for some time.

San Jose—The first manufacturing plant in Santa Clara county to be used by the Government has been accepted by the Department of Agriculture to be used for practical and scientific tests in utilizing waste fruit during the coming harvest season.

Sacramento—The Senate laid aside its work of passing bills April 27 and indulged in the biennial custom of distributing gifts of silver service and jewelry to its leaders and appointive officers. Senator A. H. Reed, president of the upper house, was given a seven-piece silver service.

Nevada City—W. H. Duncan, a banker of Loyalton, declares he will conquer the snows of Yuba Pass if it takes all summer. Duncan has been engaged in an attempt to cross the summit by automobile. He will attempt to cross the summit at an elevation of 7000 feet. Three motion picture operators accompany Duncan.

Visalia—Every member of County Surveyor Lawrence's time is now being spent upon the survey work in connection with the concrete road work under the \$220,000 bond issue, and an extra crew in the office is keeping the engineer very busy in the field preparing data and laying out lines for the work which will be started again very soon.

Turlock—Visitors will hereafter be barred from the La Grange dam, from which water is diverted into the Turlock and Modesto irrigation districts. This action has been taken by the boards of directors of the two districts to guard against acts of violence which might result in the destruction of means for irrigation during the coming season.

Marysville—Patriotism reached its zenith when Miss Margaret Harlow, 29, and pretty, appeared on the streets with American flags painted on her bare legs. Miss Harlow wore no stockings and had on low-cut shoes and an extra short dress in order to properly show her colors. Miss Harlow's daring bit of patriotism caused great excitement along her line of march.

Turlock—Representatives of a Fresno poultry oil factory were in this city a few days ago endeavoring to persuade the farmers of the district to plant peanuts, agreeing to take all that could be raised, and promising that growers might realize \$200 per acre on the crop. Peanut oil and peanut meal cake would be manufactured. The Fresno men offered to furnish the seed for this year free.

Visalia—C. S. S. Forney, president of the Central California Gas Company, was here April 27 checking up matters in connection with the project to bring a supply of natural gas from Kern county for Tulare and Kings county consumers. He expressed confidence that natural gas would be offered Tulare county in the near future. To date the Railroad Commission has not ruled on the application to bring the gas in.

Turlock—The Tide Water Southern Railway Company, which has a line extending from Stockton to Hatch, near this city, and is now building an extension to Irwin, south of Turlock, is reported to be laying plans for another extension into Stanislaus county, taking in Riverbank, Thibault and Oakdale. Oakdale, the proposed terminus of the line, is a shipment of the Sierra Railway, and ships out annually between 3000 and 4000 cars of lumber and between 1500 and 2000 carloads of other products.

Lodi—Hearst's unapologetic film, "Patria," was barred from Lodi following a mass meeting of women at which the film was condemned and the manager of the theater where the film was being shown requested to suppress the picture. The theater manager gave assurance that "Patria" would not again be shown. The resolution for the suppression of the film was introduced by Mrs. Burton A. Towne. It reads as follows: "Resolved, That the Women's Club of Lodi urges the Tokay Theater management to cancel future episodes of the film 'Patria,' to the end that our international relationship may not be complicated by selfish or vicious appeals to prejudice."

Los Banos—Los Banos Lodge, F. and A. M., gave a reception April 27 at the opera house to their members and their families and a few invited guests.

Tulare—"City Sanitation" was the subject of a lecture delivered here April 28 by Miss Dora S. Lemon, instructor in physiology and hygiene in the State Normal School at Fresno.

Sacramento—The first box of cherries from Vacaville, shipped by the Frank H. Buck Company for local growers, was sold by the Central Fruit Auction Company at Chicago for \$50.

Alameda—By the passage by the State Senate of the Alameda tideland bill and the adoption of a concurrent resolution by the State Assembly, Alameda is given possession of its water front and tidelands, with the power to lease to the Government, free of charge, a portion of the lands for the establishment here of a naval base.

Burlingame—Mrs. Robert E. Cranston of San Francisco was exonerated from all blame by a coroner's jury in the case of Robert E. Florin, 12-year-old San Mateo boy, fatally injured by Mrs. Cranston's machine. Evidence showed that the youngster was playing on the highway at San Mateo, returning home from school, when he fell off a trailer in front of the automobile.

Alameda—The appointments of Joseph R. Lanktree and Mrs. Helen R. Cross as members of the Board of Education, to succeed John Reardon and Dr. Kate P. Van Orden, were announced by Mayor Greene Mayors. Lanktree was a member of the School Board for a number of years. Mrs. Cross is president of Alameda Center of the California Civic League.

Porterville—Organization has been completed of the local unit of the National Congress of Mothers, with the election of the following officers: Mrs. A. Wilshire, president; Mrs. N. M. Hall, vice-president; Mrs. Wood Sandridge, secretary; and Mrs. R. L. Reed, treasurer. Mrs. Frances Lyster, who has been here from Los Angeles to aid in the organization work, has returned to the south.

Visalia—Plans for Visalia's eighth annual Fourth of July celebration and 100-mile sanctioned automobile road race, the last road race to be sanctioned by the Three A's, are now being laid by the committee of the Visalia Board of Trade. It has been definitely decided to go ahead with the plans for the affair, and if it is found necessary to cancel the event by reason of the war situation it can be done easily.

Sanger—Funeral services for Mrs. Anna M. White were held April 26 from the Baptist church. Mrs. White had resided in this city for the past twelve years, coming here from Oregon, to which state she came from Iowa many years ago. She was aged 66 years, and is survived by two sons and daughters, Mrs. John Powell and Ira White of Oregon, and Mrs. Cherley Parker and Clarence A. White of Sanger. Interment was at Bethel.

Modesto—Plans for a monster county wide patriotic demonstration on the occasion of the visit of William Jennings Bryan to Modesto Monday night, May 7, have been made by the Modesto Defense Council. Bryan will come to Modesto from Merced. He will lead an automobile parade about Modesto and to the Auditorium, where he will lecture on "Patriotism." It is planned by the Defense Council, under whose auspices Bryan will speak, to make the event an occasion for the fostering of patriotic spirit. Superior Judge W. H. Langdon is president of the Stanislaus County Defense Council.

Berkeley—Professor David P. Barrows, dean of the faculty of the University of California, who has been recommended to the War Department for commission as major of cavalry, announced that within a week he will resign his position in order that he can attend the military training camp for officers at the Presidio of San Francisco May 8. Other members of the faculty, who will enter the reserve corps, are expected to make similar requests of the War Department, who have not yet announced their policy regarding leaves of absence for faculty members entering military duty.

Oakdale—Two California pioneers died in Oakdale last week. Mrs. Mary Williamson had lived here for thirty-five years, coming to California with her husband several years prior to that time, and taking up farming in Merced county. Later they moved to Stanislaus county, farming near Waterford. The deceased was aged 80 years. Albion Hodgkins, another old-time resident of California, died following an attack of paralysis. He was born January 26, 1849, in Lewiston, Maine. He shipped as a sailor before the mast at an early age, and visited every civilized country on the globe. The family moved to California in 1888, since which time Mr. Hodgkins followed the carpenter business, until his health broke down seven years ago.

RETREATING GERMANS TAKE FRENCH PRISONERS WITH THEM



The Germans in their great retreat in northern France have taken every member of the civilian population, male and female, who might aid France, and sent them as secret prisoners to Germany. The picture shows French prisoners being marched out of St. Quentin.

"WE AMERICANS ARE AT WAR. NOW LET US FIGHT."

Chicago.—The text of ex-President Roosevelt's address at the stock yards pavilion here last Saturday night follows in part:

We can make the President's message of April 2 stand among the great state papers of our history and we can make it stand only if we make the message good and we can make it good only if we fight with all our strength now, at once. It is the earliest possible moment, we put the flag on the line and we put it there over a constantly growing army, until the war shows its true face, until we have won the great cause of democracy and civilization, the great cause of justice and our duty to the people of the world.

There is no time to lose. Now let us fight. Let us make it a real war, not a dummy war. Let us show that we are not ashamed to fight with our own hands and not merely to hire other men to fight with their hands. Let us put the flag on the line now, at the earliest possible moment, and not merely at a later date.

I most earnestly and heartily stand by the proposal of the President to raise an army on the principle of universal compulsory military training and military service, demanded as a right, not as a favor, from all the young men of this country, of every bearing and of every shade.

I have long advocated with all fervor of conviction, the principle of universal compulsory military training and military service, demanded as a right, not as a favor, from all the young men of this country, of every bearing and of every shade. I have long advocated with all fervor of conviction, the principle of universal compulsory military training and military service, demanded as a right, not as a favor, from all the young men of this country, of every bearing and of every shade.

What direct bill permits President to do. Washington.—The selective draft bill passed by Congress last Saturday authorizes the President to raise the regular Army to its maximum war strength of 287,000 men.

It empowers him to increase the strength of the National Guard to a war footing of about 625,000 men. It empowers him to draft 500,000 men immediately from the men of the country between the ages of 21 to 27 or 21 to 40, under the House bill.

It further empowers him to draft an additional quota of 500,000 men and begin their training whenever in his judgment he deems it necessary. The President is empowered to exempt custom-house and mail clerks, workmen in armaments, navy and army, persons engaged in industries necessary to the maintenance of the military establishment, pilots and marines of the merchant marine, persons having dependent families to such an extent that the draft would be inadvisable, all persons morally and physically deficient, and ministers of sects with convictions against war.

Visalia.—The senior girls of the Visalia High School are expecting big results from the potato patch planted by them a few days ago in a vacant lot adjoining the high school.

SAN JOSE WILL OFFER PAGEANT FOR RED CROSS

Early History to Be Produced in Brilliant Tableau

San Jose.—Outdoor historical pageantry on lines of magnitude hitherto never attempted on this coast is the means adopted by San Jose citizens to raise thousands of dollars for the local chapter of the Red Cross. The pageant will portray the early history of San Jose. More than 1500 amateur and professional actors and actresses of Santa Clara county have volunteered to participate in the play. The production will be staged at Luna Park on June 1 and 2, the largest stage ever built in this county and possibly in the world. It will be 200 yards long and 80 yards wide. More than 100 high-powered electric projectors will be used in the lighting effects and special spotlights and color lighting effects will be used to their fullest capacity.

The play is written by Helen Stocking and the incidental music is composed by Ruth Cornell, both being well-known local society girls and prominent in the literary and musical circles of the city. Garnet Holme of San Francisco is the producer and will assign all the other leading parts during the week.

Every business organization in the city has endorsed the pageant and the citizens are falling in line behind to make the project a money-maker for the Red Cross. It is expected that 20,000 persons will witness the two days' performance.

SETTLE IRISH TANGLE, URGE CONGRESSMEN

Follow Wilson's Principles, Is Advice to British Premier

Washington.—A cablegram urging a settlement of the Irish problem was sent to Premier Lloyd George April 28 by 200 Representatives in Congress, headed by Speaker Champ Clark.

There is great interest in this country in the situation, and the Irish home rule question has been discussed by American officials with members of the British commission now visiting the United States.

The messages sent by the representatives follows: "You are quoted as saying that the settlement of the Irish question is essential for the peace of the world and for a speedy victory in the world war."

"May we, members of the American Congress, suggest that nothing will add more to the enthusiasm of America in this war than a settlement now of the Irish problem?"

"We believe that all Americans will be deeply stirred and their enthusiastic effort enlisted if the British Empire will now settle this problem in accordance with the principles announced by President Wilson in his address to Congress, asking it to declare war on autocracy for the world-wide safety of democracy and of small nationalities."

Lindsay.—At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce April 26 it was decided to hold a booster banquet in the near future, at which prominent speakers from out of town will be invited to make addresses.

WESTERN STATES ARE COMBINED FOR DEFENSE

Governors All Agree to Compact For Protection

Sacramento.—Through the efforts of the State Council of Defense, the states of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Nevada, Arizona and New Mexico have joined with California in plans for unified activity toward military defense, crop planting and preparedness in a Pacific Coast and Mexican border programme.

Cooperation in all matters of common interest growing out of war conditions has been pledged to the State Council by the Governors of these states.

Prevention of waste and extravagance is the keynote of Governor W. E. Lindsey's proclamation to the people of his State, New Mexico. He urges that there be an elimination of "joy rides" and costly dinners.

Governor Lister of Washington has appointed committees in each county of the State with subcommittees in the cities and towns to develop a greatly increased agricultural output. From Idaho, Governor Alexander has advised the State Council that an identical organization has been formed there and that his State is desirous of working along co-operative lines with the Pacific Coast sister states.

Moves have been made to protect the Arizona-Mexico border by Governor Thomas E. Campbell and a definite programme for increased food production is under way. Arizona has also formed a State Council of Defense. That council has appealed to the California Council for aid in obtaining 2000 farm laborers immediately needed in Salt River valley.

There is a shortage in California of laborers, according to A. H. Naitzger, vice-chairman of the State Council, and he has replied that 20,000 are required here now. Dean Hunt of the University of California, chairman of the Council's committee on resources and food supply, supplements this with the statement that at harvest time this year California will need 20,000 laborers to garner the crops. Data is being assembled by the State Council on its own activities and those of the county councils in the State for the information of all of the states that have entered this compact for mutual support during the war.

UNITED STATES SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION OPENS MAY 15

San Francisco.—To help provide the first 10,000 officers for the new armies of the United States, the final call has just been issued here from the Western Department of the Army. It has to do with the camp to be established at the Presidio, a superb location of more than 1000 acres of woods and field. Washington instructions advanced the date for the opening of training camps throughout the country from May 8 to May 15.

The men report for duty May 14. Ocean, bay, hills and forests all will be used in an intensive course which, starting with the proper adjustment of a soldier's kit, will reach well into tactics and strategy. There will be other camps in the country, each designed to train officers. The one here is for men from these states:

Arizona, California, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington.

The prize, for which any man between the ages of 20 years and 9 months and 44 years may try, is a commission, bearing the high responsibility of many lives besides one's own. Men of particular qualifications will therefore be considered first, the announcement says.

AZUMA LEAVES WITH BODY OF GUTHRIE

Yokohama.—Bearing the body of George W. Guthrie, late American Ambassador to Japan, the Japanese cruiser Azuma left this port late last Saturday for San Francisco by way of Honolulu. The cruiser was escorted outside the bay by the battleship Suwo.

After a service conducted by Bishop McKim of Tokyo, the body of the late Ambassador was transported to the pier, where it was received by a company of blue-jackets. As the boat on which the coffin was towed to the Azuma left the pier, warships in the harbor fired a salute of nineteen guns and the band of the Azuma played a dirge.

Mrs. Guthrie, prominent Japanese and staffs of the America Embassy boarded the Azuma for the farewell ceremonies. The casket was enfolded in an American flag and placed in the Admiral's room on the warship, where it was surrounded by wreaths sent by the Emperor, Prime Minister Tojo, Foreign Minister Motono and Vice-Admiral Kato. Commanders Hiroaki Tamura and Gonkichi Nakajima of the Japanese navy sailed on the Azuma as an honorary escort.

SAN FRANCISCO IS ALL AMERICAN, SAYS ROLPH

City Will Be Honored by Visit of Balfour and Guthrie

San Francisco.—Unlike the conception of Mayor William Thompson of Chicago of his home city, San Francisco is all American, and as Americans, true to their President, San Franciscans will welcome those who have been welcomed by the Nation's Chief Executive.

This was Mayor James Rolph's reply to the Chicago Herald, when asked if San Francisco would invite the British and French war envoys to this city, or would take the same attitude as Mayor Thompson of Chicago, that such an invitation was undesired.

Editor James Keeley's telegram to the Mayor follows:

"Mayor Thompson of Chicago has taken the position that because this city has a large foreign population he cannot properly invite Marshal Joffre and Mr. Balfour and other visiting French and British envoys to Chicago, because 'it might offend the foreign born members of our population.'"

"Chicago is the sixth largest German city in the world," the Mayor says, "the second largest Bohemian, the second largest Swedish, the second largest Polish. Therefore, I think that I would be presuming considerably if I took the position that all our people are in favor of such an invitation."

"Despite the attitude of the Mayor more than three times the necessary legal number of members of the City Council have called a special meeting to be held in Chicago on Saturday at which will be passed an invitation to the French and British envoys to visit Chicago."

"Will you kindly telegraph the Herald your views as to what would be the proper action of an American municipal official confronted with this proposition?"

Mayor Rolph replied:

"San Francisco has only one kind of a population and we are standing solidly behind President Woodrow Wilson. We are all Americans. The Nation is honored by the visits of Marshal Joffre and Mr. Balfour and other visiting French and British envoys. George Washington received Lafayette and Rochambeau, President Wilson has received Marshal Joffre and Mr. Balfour and their associates. You can be assured that San Franciscans hope she will have the chance to give a truly unanimous American patriotic welcome to these men. A cordial invitation should be extended to them from every city in the nation, and if they accept San Francisco's invitation they will get the same kind of welcome—better, if it is possible—as they received in Washington."

"Prior to this exchange of telegrams Mayor Rolph sent another to the New York Herald, in answer to the question of whether or not San Francisco would be pleased with a visit from the French and British envoys. This telegram was:

"I can conceive of nothing that would excite our people to a greater degree of patriotism than a national tour of the 'strong man of France,' now our Nation's visitor—General Joffre. Our citizens know how to welcome a distinguished guest; we showed that during our world's exposition. But just let General Joffre get into our city and we will go wild with the enthusiasm of his coming and show to a marked degree our affection for France. We will throw our hats in the air and cheer him, not only for himself, but in remembrance of Lafayette and Rochambeau, who fought side by side with Washington. Your thought of a national tour by this distinguished visitor is simply great, and in San Francisco's name I thank you for evolving such a brilliant idea. We will dress the city up in his honor as she has never been dressed before. You are all right, and I hope you put it through."

FIRST U. S. TROOPS IN FRANCE TO RECEIVE FLAG.

Paris.—The women lace workers of Val de Vaux have united in making a lace flag with the colors of the United States and intend to present it to the first American regiment that comes to fight upon French soil. General Lafayette came from the region of Velay.

Chicago.—Ernest H. Evans, aged 25, married about a year, was instantly killed while his wife and sister-in-law, Mrs. Will Evans, were seriously injured when a Southern Pacific train struck the auto in which they were riding at a crossing north of Richvale.

Wit, Humor and Miscellany Items

Free trial of Resinol for sick skins

Physicians have resorted to Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap for twenty years in the treatment of itching, burning, eruptions, etc. It is the only remedy for all skin diseases. Write to Dr. J. E. Resinol, Baltimore, Md.

Hurrah! How's This

Cincinnati authority says corns dry up and lift out with fingers.

Ouch! ! ! ! ! This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezezone when applied to a tender, aching corn or hardened callus softens it at once, and soon the corn or callus dries up and lifts right off without pain.

He says freezezone dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. A small bottle of freezezone will cost very little at any drug store, but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the inauguration of the high heels. If your druggist doesn't have freezezone tell him to order a small bottle for you—Adv.

Horrors of War Growing; Hairpins Becoming Scarce

And here is another piece of news that will make the girls say "horror." There's a shortage of hairpins. This war has just about put the art of hairdressing "on the fritz." Hairpins have finally come in for their full share of attention. Having a long list of antique jokes about being a woman's prime solution to all difficulties to their credit, the heretofore unassuming little bits of crinkled-in-the-middle wire have at last come to the front and demand a dignified recognition. Now that there may be a scarcity of them they are becoming cherished possessions.

All coiffure builders have announced that hereafter when women want their hair dressed they must bring along their own pins or there will be no elaborate arrangement of their crowning glory. And the explanation for this, worse than terrifying possibility was that the countries which have always supplied the pins for millinery's coiffure are keeping all of their wire at home for ammunition.

That's Fair Enough. "I think, Harry, said Mrs. Barton, "I'll ask those new people next door to take dinner with us tonight."

"What for?" asked her husband. "Well, the butcher left their meat here by mistake, and I think it seems only fair."—New York Times.

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Yucatan's Water Caverns.

Since Yucatan, where the Mayas built their strange cities, is of coral limestone formation, it follows that it would have been a desert but for its subterranean rivers and the cenotes, or water caverns, which give access to them.

The Mayas noted the course of the underground streams and built their towns round the cenotes. Many cenotes are now found surrounded by ruins, and give indications of the methods employed by the Mayas to reach their cool waters. In Yucatan a cenote forty feet deep is inhabited by a peculiar species of fish. At Bolanchon there is a cenote having five openings in the rocks at the bottom of the cavern. Ladders made by tying tree trunks together lead down a total distance of 1,400 feet, but the perpendicular depth from the surface to the water is not more than 500 feet.

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DOCTOR FOR TREE THAT OWNS ITSELF

Athens, Ga.—A specialist has been called in to treat Athens' famous "tree that owns itself," one of the legal curiosities of the world. Several years ago a public-spirited citizen wanted to donate the tree to the city, and to prevent any possibility of the tree being destroyed, he made out a deed for the plot surrounding the tree to the tree itself, built an iron fence around the plot, put up a marble slab stating that the tree was owned by itself, and had the deed legally recorded. The old oak has been showing signs of disease.

CZAR'S RICHES TO FINANCE THE WAR

Russian People May Seize Enormous Wealth of Their Former Ruler.

RICHEST MAN IN THE WORLD

Private Fortune of Nicholas Romanoff Estimated at Not Less Than \$2,000,000,000—Owns 70 Per Cent of Russian Land.

New York.—Nicholas II, deposed czar of Russia, is the richest man in the world. His private wealth is not less than \$2,000,000,000. In many quarters here it is believed a large part of this will be seized by the Russian people to finance the war.

Nicholas Romanoff's wealth is largely invested in foreign bonds and stocks. His American holdings are said to be extensive. It is understood that he owns \$50,000,000 worth of the Pennsylvania railroad's stock. His name does not appear in the list of that corporation's stockholders for obvious reasons. Instead, some nominal owners appear.

The deposed czar also owns about 680,000,000 acres of land in Russia. Most of Russia's mineral resources are his private property. Into the czar's private treasury, according to the Russian law, one-third of Russia's gold and silver output is annually contributed.

Since the treaty of Portsmouth the Russian empire has occupied 8,647,687 square miles, or one-seventh of the land surface of the globe. It has a population of about 200,000,000, or fewer than twenty-five to the square mile.

Owns 70 Per Cent of Land. Nominally the autocrat "owns" both land and people, but he and his family own of the immense total of 948,063,763 acres actually owned and receive the revenue from 680,893,927 acres, about 70 per cent of the whole land area of Russia—one-tenth that of the world. The balance, or 267,124,836 acres, is distributed as follows, according to the 1910 report of the department of agriculture, the latest:

Nobility	181,996,519
Merchants	36,321,303
Peasants	35,141,886
Landed proprietors	8,381,839
Other classes	5,673,289

Total 267,124,836

The nobility number about 1,400,000, the agricultural classes (peasants and landed proprietors), 110,000,000. Thus the tiller of the soil and the taxpayer possess on the average about one-third of an acre; the Russian nobleman, who does not pay taxes, possesses on an average some 128.

To put the case in another form: From every 384 loaves of bread produced by the Russian agriculturist the noble land owner alone takes away some 383 loaves for himself, leaving one loaf for the producer, from which the latter has yet to devote a part to satisfy the state or autocratic tax collector.

Income Is Enormous. Nobody knows exactly the amount of the czar's enormous income. The expenditure of some of it is traceable to certain public works whose budgets are matters of public record, and a large part is known to be absorbed by his family and their dependents, who number about 3,000, and are entirely apart from the noble class, which has no Romanoff affiliations. The czar had an annual salary of \$12,500,000. Besides this enormous revenue he derives yet another annual income from his private estates and mines, the latter being worked by common and political convicts.

According to the Almanach Hachette the czar enjoys an annual income of \$42,500,000, or \$85 per minute. All this is in addition to the income from the Romanoff property of 680,893,927 acres, 32,000,000 acres of which are at present productive. This yields an annual revenue of \$10,000,000. This sum goes for the support of the grand dukes and duchesses, who number 46, many of whom draw yet other incomes from private sources, or from various posts occupied in the army and navy, or in the general administration of the bureaucracy.

The Russian autocracy has been, therefore, not only a political form of government, but a tremendously paying business for the autocrat himself and all his relations, near and remote.

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When He Escaped.

The other Sunday evening, when church service was over, a young curate started on his journey home, accompanied by two young ladies of the choir, when they began a conversation about hymns.

"What is your favorite hymn?" asked the curate, turning to one of his fair companions.

"Draw me nearer," she replied.

At that moment her companion, who was walking on the other side of the curate, to make matters worse, said innocently:

"That is only the chorus; the commencement of the verse is, 'I am thine.'"

Then the curate sought safety in flight.—London Tit-Bits.

Sore Eyes

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Costa Rican Industry.

The decline of the banana industry in Costa Rica for several years past has become very noticeable and its effects are strongly felt in the business life of the country. For Costa Rica formerly led in the production of bananas. Plantations have become affected by an incurable disease, and as a result the largest growing and shipping company has found it more profitable to cultivate new plantations in other countries, building new wharves and constructing new railways, than to attempt to stamp out the disease. The banana business is therefore gradually leaving Costa Rica.

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Retribution.

A certain man broke through the ice. As the freezing waters clutched him he screamed most eerily for help. Another man came rushing up, and then, detecting the identity of the gentleman in the drink, turned and sauntered away, whistling.

"He was one of those cold-bath cranks," he explained next day to the reporters.—Judge.

"The young officer you introduced to me appeared to be blue."

"Naturally, he is a submarine."

TIRED OUT.

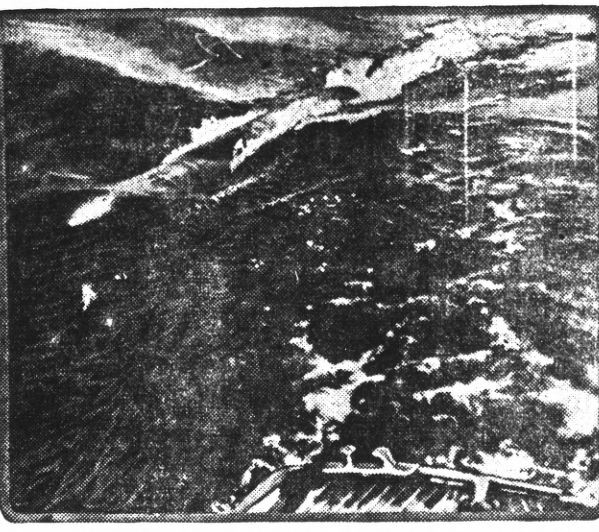
There's many a housewife who sits on the porch in the growing shadows of a summer evening, knowing to the full what it is to feel tired; as if there was not another ounce of effort left in her. But she knows how sound her slumber will be, and how refreshed the morning will find her. That's the tiredness of a healthy woman. But it's another thing for a sick woman to feel tired out. Sick women seem to increase her suffering. Just as in profound silence jars the ear more forcibly, so now that she has stopped moving about, this tired woman feels more acutely the aching back and throbbing nerves.

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I write this with pleasure and gratitude.—Mrs. THIRZA STEVENS, 239 1/2 South Grand Ave.

A TORPEDO ON ITS FELL JOURNEY



Photographed instantaneously from the stern of a vessel when the torpedo was running on the surface. Usually it runs a few feet below the surface, and is only visible by a thin trail of white water behind it. Sometimes in a very choppy sea a torpedo may become visible, but this is very unusual.

PERONNE IS LEFT SMOLDERING RUIN

Germans Post Ironically Worded Sign: "Don't Be Cross; Only Wonder."

STATUE REPLACED BY DUMMY

Beautiful Old Church a Pitiful Mass of Wreckage—Everywhere Is Evidence of Carefully Planned Destruction by Germans.

British Headquarters in France.—On the wrecked front of the Hotel de Ville at Peronne the Germans before evacuating the city painted a large sign. This, when translated into English, reads: "Don't be cross; only wonder."

The meaning of this bit of parting irony was only too apparent on all sides. Peronne lies a smoldering ruin. The picture is most abject. Some sections of the city have been damaged by shell fire, but everywhere else there is evidence of carefully designed destruction by the garrison before retiring.

Some fine old residences which, because of their outlying location, had escaped both shell fire and torch, had been wrecked inside, top to bottom. Many of them apparently had been used for the masses of officers and men. All bear evidence of the parting orgy. Furniture, mirrors, crockery and pictures have been shattered and the mantelpieces smashed. In some of them were found picture frames that had been used as the wrecking tools. The dining salons' mirrors and windows evidently had been smashed with thin wine bottles, which were strewn about in scores.

The deliberate character of the destruction wrought by the Germans is painfully evident in the once beautiful avenue of trees leading to the railway station. These trees were untouched by shell fire, but each one was hacked in two with axes and the gashes and chips show that the work was done within the last few days. The beautiful gardens of the outlying houses also were wrecked and every fruit tree within several miles of the town was sawed two-thirds of the way through and then broken down.

Views Great Scene of Ruin.

The correspondent of the Associated Press was among the first visitors to Peronne in the wake of the English troops, who have swept well beyond that place. It was necessary to pass through half a score of ruined villages, which only a few days before were within the zone of intense artillery fire, before reaching the banks of the Somme. Crossing the stream on an improvised bridge and trudging through Halle, Peronne was reached over a road which had been reconstructed within 24 hours over succeeding rows of German trenches and through recurrent masses of rusted barbed wire, some of these being at least six feet in height and 50 feet in width.

There was a ghostly silence in most sections of the city. No sound of war to be heard, except once when a prying German airplane scudded over in the shelter of the high clouds and antiaircraft guns opened, driving him to quick retreat. British officers pointed out building after building where apparently the total damage had resulted from interior explosions. In many cases walls, facing away from the line of British and French fire, had great squares blown through them, differing strikingly from the round holes made in other buildings by shells.

Gaudily Clad Dummy Is Left.

The beautiful old sixteenth century church of Saint Jean was a pitiful mass of ruins, but one of its old paintings still hung on a bit of wall in the transept and was miraculously untroubled. The statue of Catherine Devoix, which had adorned the great square, had been taken away by the Germans and a gaudily clad dummy left in its stead.

At a fancy-dress ball for children, says an exchange, a policeman stationed at the door was instructed not to admit any adult.

An excited woman came running up to the door and demanded admission.

"I'm sorry, mum," replied the policeman, "but I can't let anyone in but children."

"But my child is dressed as a butterfly," exclaimed the woman, "and has forgotten her wings!"

"Can't help it," replied the policeman; "orders is orders. You'll have to let her go as a caterpillar."—Youth's Companion.

The Logical Reply.

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Hunters Guard Against Becoming Overheated in Cold Climate of Alaska

The danger of getting overheated in a cold climate is well understood by the Indians of Alaska. A government official there explains how carefully they guard against the danger of freezing to death in consequence of allowing themselves to become too warm.

On the Upper Yukon the old method of moose-hunting in early winter was for the Indians to go out on snowshoes after a heavy snowfall in search of fresh trails. When one was found, the swiftest runner of the party prepared himself to run down the moose. Stripped of all clothing except a shirt and breeches, and carrying a light shotgun loaded with ball, he started off after the animal, while the women and slower runners followed more leisurely.

Sometimes a moose would run eight or ten miles before being overtaken. The runner never stopped until he had overtaken and killed it, and he never stopped then. The cold at that season is very intense. The hunter heated with his long run, would quickly have frozen to death if he had stopped. For that reason, after having killed the moose, he returned to camp at a run, leaving his followers, who were more thickly clothed than he and less heated, to cut up the carcass and drag it home.

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Disappear With Use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment—Trial Free.

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Wise and Otherwise.

The has-been may not be lost, but gone behind.

Many a man's sighs overshadow his earthly troubles.

But use the proper bait when fishing for compliments. Blood will tell—but the less that some blood tells the better.

After losing, a woman hesitates for the purpose of deliberating.

Contentment is always perched on the round of the ladder just above you.

One woman never really knows another woman until their children quarrel.

The longevity of the ancients may have been due to a scarcity of cookbooks.

The poet is born—unless he writes a magazine poem that nobody can understand; then he is made.

Fortunate is the poor man who thinks he has married an angel if she turns out to be merely a good cook.

While a man may look all right in a new suit of clothes, it's a cheese sandwich to a bakery that he doesn't feel that way.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well, no alcohol. Sold in tablets or liquid.—Adv.

How Double Windows Save Coal.

Experiments show that when fitted with double windows an equal temperature of 70 degrees can be maintained with the same amount of coal formerly required to maintain a temperature of 60 degrees. It is estimated that the cost of fitting the lower story of a house with double windows can be paid for in five winters by the saving in coal.

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The Reason Why.

"The man you see passing is a queer one. He makes only a bald pretense at earning a living."

"How's that?"

"He is a hair-raising specialist."

"You say your car enables you to economize?"

"Yes," replied Steerem. "I keep thinking about the price of gasoline till I lose my appetite and don't have to worry about the high cost of food."—London Answers.

Why Complicate It?

"Do you think women ought to smoke?"

"I should say not. It's hard enough as it is to tell who's the man of the house."—Detroit Free Press.

BROKEN DOWN IN HEALTH

Woman Tells How \$5 Worth of Pinkham's Compound Made Her Well.

Lima, Ohio.—"I was all broken down in health from a displacement. One of my lady friends came to see me and she advised me to commence taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Sensitive Wash. I began taking your remedies and took \$5.00 worth and in two months was a well woman."

after three doctors said I never would stand up straight again. I was a midwife for seven years and I recommended the Vegetable Compound to every woman to take before birth and afterwards, and they all got along so nicely that it surely is a godsend to suffering women. If women wish to write to me I will be delighted to answer them."

—Mrs. JENNIE MOYER, 342 E. North St., Lima, Ohio.

Women who suffer from displacements, weakness, irregularities, nervousness, backache, or bearing-down pains, need the tonic properties of the roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

BEAUTIFUL WISE PLANNING FOR CITIES TO MEET REQUIREMENTS

Washington, Carefully Laid Out, Will
Always Seem Artificial.

The best time to fix the permanent plan of big cities is when their natural growth has gone far enough to guide the design surely, but before the imperfect plan has piled up costly buildings on the site of necessary avenues and openings, says the Minneapolis Journal.

No early design can foresee the demands and limitations of the vital channels of trade and industry. The city planning of Minneapolis and many other American cities has hit just the right moment.

Washington and Gary were planned as definitely as monumental architecture before the building began, one for a great world capital, the other as a site of a great steel industry. But capitals of great commerce grow as naturally as a living organism and shape their design and construction like a garment.

Definite form to meet the unimagined needs of today could not have been given to New York more than a century ago, when the streets of lower Manhattan Island were planned and building on them began. After all, the design has been molded to meet the vital requirements of traffic better than that of Washington. Beautiful as the form of Washington is, it is stronger than their way about New York more easily.

Washington is neither so lovely as Paris nor so interesting as London. The only great capital of the world not vitalized by trade and industry will always be a bit artificial. London has been made more open to street traffic by cutting new avenues through crooked mazes, though the reform has been spurring. The thorough reconstruction of Paris is the last lasting inheritance of the third empire. None of the new capitals of government in trade planned with scientific thoroughness competes with this in beauty and fitness.

ANTI-LITTER LEAGUE.

New Organization in New York to Help
City Keep Clean.

An Anti-litter league has been organized in New York city to aid public officials in keeping the city clean. It is agitating a demand for litter free streets and is carrying on a crusade by means of placards in shop windows and other places. It has secured the cooperation of movie men, who aid by flashing anti-litter notices on their screens. Speaking of this new society in an editorial, the New York Evening Sun says:

No general public task of any kind has ever been performed wholly by government. None ever will be. German mind put efficiency has often been quoted as an example to the rest of the world. But if you dropped paper in the street of a German city you were as likely to be rebuked and instructed by a plain citizen as by an officer.

Clean streets are near the top of the list of conditions necessary to public health. We have a street cleaning department which is supposed to care for the matter. But merely supposing that the streets are clean never saved a life or prevented an epidemic.

The Anti-litter league is an organization formed to encourage or shame citizens into taking hold of the situation directly. It has more than one value. It is educating the ignorant as to the actual danger to health and life that hides in rubbish. To many good citizens who have been thoughtless the mere word of reminder is enough. Others will need to be dealt with more severely.

The indirect value of a society like this is found in its effect upon the street cleaning department itself. The very existence of an unofficial society puts the department on its mettle. It may be doing as well as it can with its resources. But results are not all they should be, and if more money is needed the commission must ask for it. Then the responsibility for a dirty and disease ridden city will rest upon all of us.

Meanwhile the Anti-litter league is the best means at hand for getting quick results and for sowing seed that will bear fruit in the future.

Free Employment Bureau.

A new department of the Commercial club of Williamston, N. D., has been particularly active during the past summer. This is the free employment bureau of the club, conducted for the purpose of bringing men and jobs together. Prospects of a bumper crop and the calling of the national guardsmen to the colors caused the employment bureau to get into action somewhat earlier than had been anticipated. The bureau has been handling employment matters for both the city employer and the farm owner and has met with much success in its very practical work for the community.

Olivia Work in Dallas.

According to a report of the Dallas (Tex.) chamber of commerce for the first six months of 1916, 65 per cent of the activities of the organization were devoted to interests of all the people of Dallas in the form of public health, educational and similar work, while 35 per cent was devoted to commercial interests.

Iowa Illustrated.

An illustrated story descriptive of Iowa and designed for stereotyping use is being prepared by the Greater Iowa association and will be sent over the entire state for the use of commercial organizations.

A Problem.

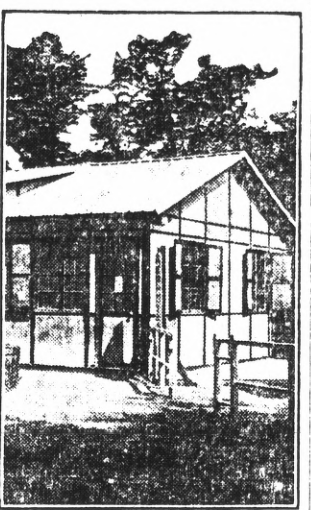
"That is my hired man asleep up there in the crotch of that oak tree," said honest Farmer Hornbeak. "You are entitled to one guess as to whether he clumb up there to slumber or went to sleep on the ground on top of an acorn which grew up with him."—Kansas City Star.

THE CITY

AIMS AT RECONSTRUCTING DESTROYED FRENCH TOWNS

Paris Has Exposition on Replanning
of Devastated Regions.

In ancient times when a city was swept by fire and sword and nothing remained but razed walls and blackened ruins the fleeing inhabitants seldom returned, but took up abode in other parts of the country, says Charles J. Storey in the American City. Today in France the spirit of re-



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habilitation is already abroad, and as a concrete expression of the voluntary decision on the reconstruction and the reorganization of the invaded cities and departments after the war a monster exhibition, La Cité Reconstructive, has been opened in Paris. Here are shown the plans which France will call forth to help build the cities and villages blasted by fire and explosion. No city planning show was ever so pathetic, none ever so inspiring. It is pathetic because it stands for the almost impossible task of replacing marvelous ancient beauty. It is inspiring for the work it represents of reorganizing the human life in territory of which a good part is even today in the hands of the enemy.

As the name of the exhibition indicates, the idea is not only an exhibit of city planning, but of reorganization. Roughly, there are three divisions—city planning, the reconstruction of cities and villages and the reorganization of their commercial activities.

There is, in addition to the question of replanning and reconstructing cities and villages in France, also that of immediate provision for those who have been homeless by the tide of battle. The exhibition includes a village of forty or fifty full size houses, a postoffice, a church and a school. They are all portable and range from an "adobe" for two persons to communal dwellings large enough for several families. Some are two stories and all can be erected in a short space of time—from four hours to six many days if necessary. They are mostly built of wood, some ingeniously constructed of interchangeable panels bolted together.

IMPROVE CONVICT CEMETERY

Members of Welfare League Are Co-ordinating Burial Ground at Sing Sing.

The convict cemetery at Sing Sing prison, New York, is undergoing beautification at the hands of members of the Mutual Welfare league. Topographically the spot, overlooking the Hudson, is ideal, but the graveyard is in a shocking state of neglect. So far the men who have been working among the graves and markers have failed to find a single urn, glass or other article indicating that any one ever visited the grave of a man or woman buried there. A marker shows that Bella Rosa, who died Oct. 8, 1898, lies beneath it. The other graves—about a thousand may be buried there—are all those of men.

Aside from the work of grading and beautifying the spot, men under the supervision of Miss Shue, have begun building a handsome monument for the cemetery. Marble originally intended for some portion of the women's prison will be used.

An inscription for the shaft has been decided upon. It will be the familiar verse from Thomas Gray's "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard" beginning: "To Praise in this neglected spot is laid some heart once pregnant with celestial fire."

Although the general public has neglected the dead buried in this spot, convicts have for years climbed the steep hill on Memorial day and scattered the few flowers they could get upon the tangled weeds and grass over the graves.

Town Progress in Erie.

In its cleanup campaign Erie, Pa., has the right idea, says the Town Development Magazine. It is going after the collected dirt and rubbish, but it is going further. The Erie board of commerce will keep up a continuous educational campaign to keep the city clean and healthful and to educate the people in the basic principles of sanitation. That is the only kind of cleanup work that is worthy of the name.

Brain Trouble.

"Cholly has brain trouble." "Is that so? What kind?" "It troubles him to think."—Boston Transcript.

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People Demand Results For Money Expended

The Taxpayers' Association of California exists for the purpose of eliminating waste and promoting greater efficiency in the administration of public affairs. As a part of its operating program it will attempt to show the business men and taxpayers of California how they can get better educational results for the money spent.

Educational leaders for many years have been demanding changes for the better, but either have achieved no results or else have had to be satisfied with so many compromises that it is generally admitted that the highest efficiency is not being obtained even with the large amount of money now being spent. The direct object of the new bureau will be to show the men who pay the bills that the principles of good school administration are fundamentally related to the cash drawer and the pocket-book.

A thorough survey of the educational system of California with reference to its financial aspects is being made by the association, headed by Wilford E. Talbert, for the past three years director of reference and research of the Oakland public schools.

Prot. Edwood P. Cuddeby, head of the department of education at Stanford University will act as consulting expert.

California Taxes Have Increased 112 Per Cent in 9 Years

From 1907 to 1916, according to official reports, the total of county taxes levied in California increased from \$22,145,000 to \$47,054,396.69, or 112.48 per cent. In 1912-13 the county taxes levied were \$34,678,183.84. The increase in this year was 36.59 per cent over 1907, and the increase in 1916 over 1912-13 amounted to 35.69 per cent. Between 1912 and 1916 the assessed value of non-operative property, against which these taxes are levied, increased a shade less than 18 per cent.

The Minneapolis Tribune of April 2 published an article from which the following is quoted: "In the case of food there has been an increase of 51 per cent between the years 1896 and 1915. Rent has increased 43 per cent; clothing, 53 per cent; coal 37 per cent, and taxes 60 per cent. While all these articles have been rising the price of electricity has been declining."

People complain of high taxes vociferously, but if the people want lower taxes they must curb expenditures. In partisan circles there is a loud cry for lower taxes. Facilities for conducting public business are expensive at this date. How to "cut" is the problem. It is not up to the tax administration. If people insist on service, increased cost must follow. It is impossible to "get something for nothing."

Mendocino county supervisors have adopted a plan of numbering the larger bridges and culverts, and dividing the roads into sections and requiring claimants to locate the service rendered by reference to the road section or bridge number, or both. This plan obviates the concealment or identification of work performed, and any interested person can inspect the work without first asking the direction from the supervisor in charge.

State Senator Will R. Sharkey sent us a pocket handbook of the California Legislature, containing a list of the members of both houses for the year 1917-42nd session. This is a valuable book for reference, and thanks are due and hereby extended Editor Sharkey for the courtesy.

California has a population of 3,000,000 according to late school census.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Notice of Guardian's Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale

In the Superior Court of the County of Merced, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate and Guardianship of George Herbert Maxfield, a Minor.

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Merced, State of California, duly given and made on the 18th day of April, 1917, in the above entitled estate, Mary Adell Maxfield, Guardian of the person and estate of George Herbert Maxfield, a minor, will sell, on or after Monday, the 30th day of April, 1917, in the County of Merced, State of California, to the highest and best bidder, and upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, at private sale, subject to confirmation by said Superior Court of Merced County, the following described real property belonging to the estate of said minor:

An undivided one-half interest in and to that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lot Number Thirty (30) in Block Number Sixty-five (65) as delineated upon that certain map, entitled "Amended Map of the City of Richmond," being a portion of Lot No. 54 of the final partition of the San Pablo Rancho, Contra Costa County, Cal., surveyed and delineated by H. D. Jerrett, C. E., January, 1905, recorded on the 31st day of March, 1905, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Contra Costa State of California.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, in Gold Coin of the United States, ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, and the balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court of Merced County, deed and abstract at expense of purchaser.

Bids and offers must be in writing, and may be left at the office of Messrs. W. B. Croop and C. W. Croop, attorneys for said Guardian, in the Merced Security Savings Bank Building, at Merced, California, or may be delivered to said Guardian personally, or may be filed with the Clerk of said Superior Court of Merced County, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Dated April 18, 1917.

MARY ADELL MAXFIELD,
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ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

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Notice To Taxpayers.

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's Office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1917, in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1917.

J. O. Ford, Deputy at Richmond.

G. O. MEESSE,
County Assessor.

June 1-17

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1916-1917.

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa County the duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1916-1917, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, a one-half of the taxes on real property, will be due and payable on the

Third Monday in October, 1916, and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1917, at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January, 1917, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

The payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the town of Martinez.

MARTIN W. JOOST,
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.
Nov. 13, 1916.
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